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INFO AMEMBASSY HELSINKI

AMCONSUL LENINGRAD

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SUBJ: OPENING OF LENINGRAD CONSULATE GENERAL

REF: A. STATE 127741; B. HELSINKI 1765

1. CONSUL GENERAL GLEYSTEN AND I ARE DELIGHTED THAT ASSISTANT SECRETARY STOESSEL PREPARED AND ABLE TO TRAVEL TO LENINGRAD FOR OFFICIAL OPENING OF CONSULATE GENERAL. JULY 6 OPENING DATE HIGHLY DESIRABLE FROM OUR POINT OF VIEW. IF AGREEABLE TO STOESSEL, THEREFORE, WE WOULD RECOMMEND ARRIVING LENINGRAD JULY 5 VIA SU 632 FROM HELSINKI AND DEPARTING LENINGRAD BY TRAIN EVENING JULY 6. THIS WOULD PERMIT ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO PARTICIPATE BOTH IN OPENING CEREMONY AT 11 AM ON JULY 6 AND AT 6 PM RECEPTION AT CONSUL GENERAL'S RESIDENCE, WHICH WOULD IN FACT BE AN INDEPENDENCE DAY FUNCTION. I WOULD, OF COURSE, ALSO PLAN TO BE PRESENT FOR THE OCCASION.

2. UPON CONFIRMATION FROM BOTH WASHINGTON AND HELSINKI OF THESE ARRANGEMENTS, WE WOULD INFORM MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, REQUEST THAT VISA BE ISSUED TO ASSISTANT SECRETARY BY SOVIET EMBASSY HELSINKI IF NECESSARY, AND INQUIRE AS TO SOVIET GOVERNMENT REPRESENTATION AT OPENING CEREMONY.

3. GLEYSTEN AND I HAVE AGREED THAT SHOULD FBO INSPECTOR, WHO IS NOW IN LENINGRAD, FIND ANY TECHNICAL INADEQUACIES IN OFFICE
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BUILDING, WE WOULD OBTAIN COMMITMENT IN WRITING THAT THESE BE
RECTIFIED BEFORE FINAL ACCEPTANCE OF BUILDING.
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